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Memorandum

To: EROS Program Manager

From: Glenn H. Landis, Special Assistant to the CTE

Subject: BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS - Provision for printing press in EROS Data Center

Reference: Fischer memo of July 1; Colvocoresses memo of June 28

With the cooperation of the Publications Division and the EROS Design Group we have made a detailed study of the feasibility of including a pad for a printing press in the Data Center building.

The following facts are pertinent:

1. The foundation system to support a given press must be tailored to that press;
2. It is not now possible to select the press that will fit our needs in the next several years;
3. The floor system of the Data Center building is such that an appropriate area of floor could be removed, the necessary foundations emplaced, and the floor reinstalled with appropriate vibration isolation from the rest of the building; and
4. There is adequate floor space in the Data Center building to house a future press.

Therefore, it has been decided that we will not modify the existing building plans.

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Topo File
EROS Reading File
EDC General File